



Media Release
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Funding supports community events

\$39,000 has been allocated to 18 community events by Selwyn District Council through its Events Fund.

A wide range of local events received funding, including the Hororata Highland Games, Rolleston Fireworks Night, Children's Day, the Lincoln University Dairy Farm Open Day and the Lincoln Multicultural Festival.

The fund was established last year to support events held in Selwyn which are open to the public; attract local, regional and international visitors; and benefit and promote the district.

"We established the fund as there are an increasing number of events happening which help make our district a great place to live in and attract people to come and visit Selwyn," says Mayor Kelvin Coe.

"Events are usually organised by community organisations and the Council is pleased to be able to support their work through grants from our Events Fund."

The next Events funding round will open in July 2015.

A full list of events which received funding from this round of Events Fund grants is attached.

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